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week ended April 15, 1905, correspond to an annual rate of 18.0 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,749,917. The lowest rate of mortality was recorded in Paisley, viz, 14.0, and the highest in Greenock, viz, 24.5, per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 603, including diphtheria 6, measles 17, scarlet fever 1, and 36 from whooping cough.

ITALY—*Naples*.—Month of February, 1905. Estimated population, 572,368. Total number of deaths, 1,572, including diphtheria 10, enteric fever 1, measles 5, smallpox 1, and 72 from tuberculosis.

ST. HELENA.—Three weeks ended April 1, 1905. Estimated population, 3,342. Total number of deaths, 4. No deaths from contagious diseases.

WEST INDIES—*St. Thomas*.—Three weeks ended April 14, 1905. Total number of deaths, 15, including 3 from tuberculosis.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, December 31, 1904, to May 12, 1905.

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls through the Department of State, and from other sources.]

[For reports received from June 25 to December 30, 1904, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for December 30, 1904.]

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
China:				
Tientsin.....	Mar. 4-11	1	1	
India:				
Bombay.....	Nov. 31-Mar. 28.....		8	
Calcutta.....	Nov. 19-Apr. 8.....		1,444	
Russian Empire:				
Alexandropol District.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 7...	3	.....
Astrakhan Province.....	Nov. 23-Jan. 8.....	9	.....
Etshniadsin District.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 7.....	35	28	
Jelissavetpol District.....	Nov. 22-26	32	.....
Kuba District.....	Nov. 21-Dec. 1...	20	14	
Nachitshevan District.....	Nov. 23-29	213	152	
Nowobajazet District.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 7...	18	12	
Don Province.....	Feb. 5-17	7	3	
Samara Province.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 21...	180	.....
Saratov Province.....	Nov. 23-Jan. 23...	78	35	
Sharuro-Daralageski District.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 7...	725	618	
Uralsk.....	Nov. 1-Feb. 10.....	.....	.....	Epidemic.
Trans-Caspian territory and Central Asia—				
Askabad.....	Dec. 8-21	6	.....
Kaachka.....	Dec. 27	1	.....
Serachs.....	Nov. 23-Dec. 14...	51	27	
Tashkent.....	Dec. 8-31	29	19	
Trans-Caucasia—				
Baku.....	Nov. 14-Feb. 24...	416	318	
Batum.....	Dec. 1-7	3	.....
Lenkoran.....	Dec. 8-28	251	226	
Erivan.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 30	1,057	695	
Tiflis.....	Nov. 23-29	4	.....
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore.....	Dec. 11-17 .....	.....	1	
Turkey (general).....	Nov. 28-Jan. 28...	712	570	Jan. 1-Dec. 26, 1904: 10,466 cases, 9,192 deaths.
Bagdad.....	Nov. 20-28	1	3	
Ravandouz.....	Nov. 20-Dec. 19...	220	196	
Van.....	Jan. 2-28	131	62	

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.

YELLOW FEVER.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Brazil:				
Para.....	Dec. 1-Jan. 31.....	.....	59	
Pernambuco.....	Nov. 1-Mar. 12.....	.....	2	
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 7-Apr. 2.....	97	40	84 cases and 34 deaths reported from April 18 to May 2.
Cuba:				
Habana.....	Jan. 6.....	3	2	From Austrian ss. Dora from La Guaira and Colon.
Ecuador:				
Guayaquil.....	Jan. 1-Apr. 13.....	.....	43	
Mexico:				
Oaxaca— (Juchitan and Tehuantepec.)	Dec. 18-Apr. 5...	8	1	
Veracruz— (Coatzacoalcos, Taxis-tepec, and Veracruz.)	Dec. 11-Apr. 5...	12	6	
Yucatan— Merida.....	Jan. 15-Mar. 25..	4	2	
Panama:				
Colon.....	Jan. 23-Apr. 6...	6	3	
Panama.....	Dec. 1-31.....	7	.....
	Jan. 1-Apr. 29...	50	20	Six cases and 2 deaths from U. S. S. Boston.
Venezuela:				
Caracas.....	Dec. 17-Jan. 7.....	3	.....
La Guaira and vicinity.....	Jan. 1-7.....	.....	6	
Maracaibo.....	Dec. 5-11.....	1	1	

PLAGUE.

Africa:				
British East Africa—				
Kisumu.....	Jan. 5-12.....	.....	.....	Present.
Maharoni.....	Jan. 19.....	1	.....
Mombassa.....	Feb. 11.....	25	25	
Port Florence.....	Jan. 1-19.....	20	8	
British South Africa—				
Cape Colony—				
East London.....	Dec. 25-Apr. 1...	23	13	
Port Elizabeth.....	Dec. 3-Mar. 18...	5	2	
Durban—				
Durban.....	Nov. 27-Feb. 11..	7	6	
Portuguese East Africa—				
Mozambique.....	Feb. 2.....	.....	.....	Epidemic.
Arabia:				
Aden (general).....	Dec. 1-Apr. 14...	1,947	1,697	One case from Austrian ss. Imperator from Bombay.
Mecca.....	Mar. 1-31.....	.....	.....	Present.
Argentina:				
Buenos Ayres.....	Jan. 28.....	1	1	
Leones.....	Mar. 28.....	12	.....
Salta State.....	Dec. 15.....	1	.....
San Nicolas.....	Mar. 20.....	.....	3	
Santa Fe.....	Dec. 27.....	1	1	
Australia:				
New South Wales—				
Clarence and Richmond River districts.	Jan. 10-Feb. 18...	4	2	
Newcastle.....	Mar. 27.....	.....	.....	Do.
Queensland—				
Brisbane and vicinity.	Jan. 2-Mar. 11....	24	10	
Bundaberg.....	Feb. 3.....	1	1	
Townsville.....	Dec. 9.....	1	.....
Brazil:				
Bahia.....	Nov. 27-Jan. 7.....	.....	12	
Guaratingueta.....	Jan. 13.....	1	.....
Niotheroy.....	Dec. 1-31.....	.....	1	
Para.....	Feb. 1-26.....	4	2	
Pernambuco.....	Nov. 1-15.....	.....	1	
Pindamonhangaba.....	Feb. 18.....	.....	.....	Do.
Rio de Janeiro.....	Nov. 7-Mar. 26...	253	112	
Santos.....	Dec. 4-11.....	.....	1	
Sao Paulo.....	Jan. 23-29.....	.....	1	
Taubete.....	Feb. 18.....	.....	1	
Chile:				
Antofagasta.....	Mar. 28.....	1	.....
Arica.....	Dec. 11-Mar. 20..	3	2	
Atacama.....	Mar. 15.....	.....	.....	Do.

Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox, etc.—Continued.

PLAGUE—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Chile—Continued.				
Copiapó	Mar. 15 .....	.....	.....	Present.
Coquimbo	Mar. 14 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Iquique	Dec. 4–Mar. 27	4	2	
Pisagua	Feb. 9–Mar. 15	194	.....
Santiago	Dec. 2 .....	.....	1	
Valparaíso	Mar. 20–31 .....	.....	1	
China:				
Hongkong	Jan. 1–Mar. 31	19	19	
Egypt:				
Port Said	Dec. 4–Feb. 10	5	5	Two deaths from Egyptian ss. Aida, from Suez.
Magaga District	Mar. 23	1	.....
Suez	Dec. 10–Mar. 4	29	17	
Tukh District	Nov. 27–Mar. 29	18	13	
Formosa (general)	Oct. 1–Jan. 31	477	434	Total number of cases for year 1904: 4,343, with 3,234 deaths.
Ensuiko	Feb. 1–28	1	1	
Gilan	Feb. 1–28	3	3	
Kagi	Feb. 1–28	9	9	
Schinchiku	Feb. 1–28	31	34	
Taihoku	Feb. 1–28	126	116	
Tainan	Feb. 1–28	7	6	
Great Britain:				
Liverpool	Feb. 7 .....	.....	1	From steamship Crewe Hall from Rangoon.
London	Nov. 30	1	.....	On ss. Weybridge from the Rio de la Plata.
Hawaii:				
Aiea	Mar. 2 .....	.....	1	
India:				
Bombay Presidency and Sind	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	127,247	96,886	
Madras Presidency	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	9,055	7,063	
Bengal	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	83,556	74,392	
United Provinces	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	244,364	222,250	
Punjab	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	152,086	128,730	
Burma	Dec. 4–Apr. 1	207	170	Three cases imported.
Central Provinces (including Berar)	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	12,044	9,623	
Assam	Mar. 5–18–Apr. 1	1	.....	Imported.
Mysore State	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	9,493	7,296	
Hyderabad State	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	14,324	12,417	
Central India	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	4,216	3,404	
Rajputana	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	12,179	10,430	
Kashmir	Oct. 29–Apr. 1	889	559	
Grand total		669,661	573,225	
Japan:				
Hioo	Dec. 14 .....	.....	1	
Kobe	Dec. 16	1	.....
Mauritius	Dec. 10–17	66	35	
Peru:				
Arequipa	Mar. 20 .....	.....	.....	Present.
Cajamarca	Mar. 10 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Callao	Feb. 9–16	1	.....
Chepen	To Apr. 9	5	6	
Chiclayo	Mar. 13–Apr. 9	47	47	
Eten	Nov. 1–Apr. 2	42	9	
Guadalupe	Nov. 1–Mar. 19	44	1	
Huanchaco	To Mar. 26	53	1	
Lambayeque	Nov. 1–Apr. 2	34	4	
Lima	Nov. 1–Apr. 9	45	4	
Mollendo	Mar. 4–Apr. 9	65	13	
Pacasmayo	Nov. 1–Dec. 26	2	.....
Pueblo Nuevo	Jan. 26	2	.....
San Pablo	Mar. 13–Apr. 2	3	6	
Philippine Islands:				
Cebu	Jan. 15–Feb. 25	2	1	
Manila	Dec. 4–Mar. 11	15	15	
Russia:				
Ural Territory	Dec. 26–Jan. 16	143	142	Number of deaths from Nov. 30 to Jan. 9, 340.
Vigatka Province—Slobodskoi	Oct. 18–Dec. 14	247	
Siam:				
Bangkok	Dec. 15–Jan. 24	14	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Nov. 5–Mar. 4	8	

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SMALLPOX.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Africa:				
Cape Colony—				
Cape Town	Feb. 12-Apr. 1 ...	2	
Liberia—				
Monrovia	Mar. 5-11	10	2	
Sierra Leone—				
Sierra Leone	Jan. 28-Mar. 17..	241	.....
Argentina:				
Bahia Blanca	Feb. 26 .....	.....	.....	Present.
Buenos Ayres	Nov. 12-Jan. 31..	324	57	
Austria-Hungary:				
Bosnia and Herzegovina ..	Jan. 1-Feb. 28 ...	60	3	
Prague	Dec. 4-31	44	.....
Belgium:				
Brussels	Dec. 18-Apr. 1 .....	.....	2	
Brazil:				
Bahia	Nov. 27-Mar. 25..	93	8	
Nichteroy	Dec. 1-31 .....	.....	44	
Para	Dec. 1-Feb. 7 .....	.....	172	
Pernambuco	Nov. 1-Mar. 31..	.....	843	
Porte Allegre	Feb. 22 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Rio de Janeiro	Nov. 6-Apr. 2	1,019	347	
Santos	Dec. 4-Jan. 22 .....	.....	7	
Sao Paulo	Jan. 1-15 .....	.....	3	
Victoria	Feb. 7-18	19	1	
Canada:				
New Brunswick—				
Chatham	Apr. 10	9	.....
Ontario—				
Hamilton	Mar. 1-Apr. 25 ...	3	.....
Chile:				
Antofagasta	Jan. 25-Feb. 28..	.....	3	
Arica	Mar. 17	1	1	From Chilean ss. Palena.
Port Montt	Mar. 16 .....	.....	.....	Epidemic.
Santiago	Jan. 2-23 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Valparaiso	Mar. 4 .....	.....	.....	Do.
China:				
Hongkong	Jan. 1-Mar. 31..	38	16	
Shanghai	Nov. 12-Mar. 11..	.....	596	One case on U. S. turret ship, Monadnock.
Colombia:				
Cartagena	Mar. 27-Apr. 1 ...	1	1	
Denmark:				
Copenhagen	Feb. 19-Mar. 11 ..	2	.....
Ecuador:				
Colta	Feb. 7 .....	.....	.....	Present.
Colombo	Feb. 7 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Guamote	Feb. 7 .....	.....	.....	Do.
Guayaquil	Jan. 1-Apr. 18..	.....	22	Three cases, 1 death from Chilean ss. Palena, from Chilean and Peruvian ports.
Porto Viejo	Feb. 15-21 .....	.....	.....	Present.
Formosa:				
Jan. 1-Feb. 28 ...	.....	6	.....
France:				
Lyon	Dec. 3-Jan. 21 ...	3	.....
Marseille	Mar. 1-31 .....	.....	1	
Nantes	Feb. 9-Mar. 17 ..	82	16	
Paris	Dec. 11-Apr. 15..	318	33	
Rouen	Nov. 1-Jan. 31 ..	.....	16	
St. Etienne	Feb. 1-Mar. 31 ..	6	.....
Germany:				
Bremen	Jan. 8-Mar. 25 ...	8	.....
Great Britain and Ireland:				
Belfast	Jan. 7-14 .....	.....	1	
Birmingham	Feb. 19-Apr. 8 ..	8	.....
Bradford	Dec. 3-Apr. 22 ..	91	6	
Cardiff	Mar. 5-Apr. 22 ..	6	.....
Dundee	Dec. 11-Jan. 14 ..	5	.....
Edinburgh	Feb. 12-Mar. 11 ..	4	.....
Glasgow	Dec. 10-Mar. 17 ..	5	1	
Hull	Dec. 25-Apr. 8 ..	36	2	
Leeds	Dec. 18-Apr. 15 ..	116	2	
Leith	Feb. 12-Apr. 8 ..	9	.....
Liverpool	Jan. 15-Apr. 1 ..	2	.....
London	Dec. 11-Apr. 8 ..	52	.....
Manchester	Dec. 11-Feb. 4 ..	7	.....
Newcastle on Tyne	Dec. 4-Apr. 1 ..	114	2	
Nottingham	Dec. 11-Apr. 22 ..	20	.....
Sheffield	Mar. 12-18	2	.....
Southampton	Mar. 26-Apr. 22..	15	5	11 cases and 1 death from ss. Nile from Buenos Ayres.

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SMALLPOX—Continued.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Great Britain and Ireland—Continued.				
South Shields.....	Dec. 4-Apr. 15...	84	5	
West Hartlepool	Feb. 4-11.....	3		
Hawaii:				
Honolulu.....	Feb. 17-Apr. 24 ..	3		One from ss. Sonoma, from San Francisco, and one from ss. Coptic, from Oriental ports.
India:				
Bombay	Nov. 30-Apr. 11..		1,415	
Calcutta	Nov. 19-Apr. 8..		83	
Karachi	Dec. 14-Apr. 9..	115	23	
Madras	Dec. 17-Apr. 7..		48	
Italy:				
General	Dec. 1-31, 1904 ..	941		
Catania	Dec. 9-Apr. 20 ..		36	
Milan	Dec. 1-31	1		
Naples	Feb. 1-28		1	
Palermo	Dec. 11-Apr. 15 ..	234	52	
Japan:				
Ehime	Jan. 22-28	26		
Fukuoka	Jan. 22-28	2		
Hakodate	Jan. 18	1		From a Br. vessel from Shanghai.
Hiroshima	Jan. 22-28	2		
Kobe	Jan. 1-Apr. 5 ..	4		One from Br. ss. Hector, from Yokohama, one from ss. Palawan, from Yokohama, and one from Br. ss. Firth of Dornoch, from Rangoon.
Kumamoto	Jan. 22-28	1		
Matsuyama	Feb. 15	1		
Muroran	Jan. 23-Feb. 4 ..	8		
Nagasaki	Jan. 22-28	2		
Nishiwagun	Feb. 16	16		
Osaka	Jan. 22-28	8		
Yamaguchi	Jan. 22-28	1		
Yokohama	Mar. 26-Apr. 1 ..	1		From Br. ss. Hudson from New York via Shanghai.
Malta	Jan. 22-Apr. 1 ..	2	1	
Mexico:				
Mexico	Nov. 20-Apr. 8 ..	43	27	
Netherlands:				
Rotterdam	Jan. 22-28	2		
Norway:				
Christiania	Dec. 11-Apr. 8 ..	24	3	
Panama:				
Colon	Dec. 13-Jan. 8 ..	3		One from ss. Loa, from Arequipa, and 1 from ss. Westphalia, from St. Thomas.
Panama	Dec. 25-Jan. 1 ..	1	1	
Peru:				
Callao	Dec. 12-Apr. 13 ..	4		Two from ss. Loa, from Arequipa. Present on Chilean ss. Palena, from Chilean and Peruvian ports on Mar. 18, one from Ger. ss. Pentaur from Chilean ports, and one from Chilean ss. Mapocho.
Lima	Mar. 1-15	1		
Philippine Islands:				
Manila	Dec. 10-Mar. 11..	13	2	1 case from Cavite.
Russia:				
Moscow	Nov. 27-Apr. 8 ..	109	33	
Odessa	Dec. 10-Apr. 15..	65	16	
St. Petersburg	Dec. 4-Apr. 15 ..	107	40	
Warsaw	Nov. 12-Feb. 11..		21	
Spain:				
Barcelona	Dec. 1-Apr. 20 ..		133	
Cadiz	Nov. 1-Mar. 31 ..		14	
Straits Settlements:				
Singapore	Nov. 13-Mar. 18 ..		16	
Switzerland:				
Geneva	Jan. 29-Feb. 4 ..	4		
Turkey:				
Constantinople	Dec. 4-Apr. 16 ..		148	
Smyrna	Jan. 1-Feb. 19 ..		2	
Uruguay:				
Montevideo	Feb. 3-24	49	13	
Venezuela:				
Macuto (vicinity of)	Jan. 1-7	15		
West Indies:				
Grenada Island	Dec. 29-Apr. 5 ..	40		